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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2005–06 REGULAR SESSION

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 858

Introduced by Assembly Member Bass

February 18, 2005

An act to amend Section 11999.5 of the Health and Safety Code Sections 11999.5, 11999.9, 11999.10, and 11999.12 of the Health and Safety Code, and Sections 1210, 1210.1, and 3063.1 of, the Penal Code, relating to substance abuse and crime prevention, and making an appropriation therefor.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 858, as amended, Bass. Substance abuse and crime prevention: funding.

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(1) The Substance Abuse and Crime Prevention Act of 2000, enacted by initiative statute (Proposition 36), established the Substance Abuse Treatment Trust Fund within the State Treasury to be continuously appropriated for carrying out the purposes of the act relating to diverting from incarceration into community-based substance abuse treatment programs nonviolent defendants, probationers, and parolees charged with simple drug possession or drug use offenses. The act requires \$120,000,000 to be continuously appropriated from the General Fund to the Substance Abuse Treatment Trust Fund for the 2001-02 fiscal year, and an additional sum of \$120,000,000 for each subsequent fiscal year, concluding with the 2005-06 fiscal year. The act provides that the Legislature is not precluded from making additional appropriations to the fund. The act requires that any amendment to the act pass with a ½ vote of the

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membership of both houses of the Legislature and requires amendments to be consistent with the act's purposes.

This bill would remove the 2005-06 concluding fiscal year reference and would instead require \$120,000,000 to be continuously appropriated from the General Fund to the Substance Abuse Treatment Trust Fund for an unlimited number of fiscal years.

(2) The act requires the State Department of Alcohol and Drug Programs to annually conduct a study to evaluate the effectiveness and financial impact of the programs that are funded pursuant to the requirements of the act.

This bill would change the required components of that annual study and would additionally require the department to conduct 2 3-year follow-up studies to be submitted to _____ by July 1, 2010, and July 1, 2013.

(3) The act requires the department to allocate up to 0.5% of the fund's total moneys each year for a long-term study to be conducted by a public university in California aimed at evaluating the effectiveness and financial impact of the programs that are funded pursuant to the requirements of the act.

This bill would instead require the department to allocate up to 0.5% of the fund's total moneys each year for the studies described in (2).

(4) The act requires the department to annually audit the expenditures made by any county that is funded, in whole or in part, with funds provided by the act and requires counties to repay any funds that are not spent in accordance with the requirements of the act.

This bill would instead require the department to conduct only periodic audits. When a county is required to repay funds, the bill would authorize the county to repay those funds with trust fund moneys previously or presently allocated to the county under the act, or would authorize the department to require a corrective action by the county, instead of repayment of the funds.

(5) The act defines "drug treatment program" or "drug treatment" and "successful completion of treatment."

This bill would revise those definitions.

(6) The act requires any person convicted of a nonviolent drug possession offense, with certain exceptions, to receive probation with required participation in, and completion of, an appropriate drug treatment program.

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This bill would require the court to impose appropriate drug testing as a condition of probation. The bill would also require the court, to the greatest extent possible, to monitor any person convicted of, and receiving probation for, a nonviolent drug possession offense. The bill would add to and revise the list of persons to whom these provisions do not apply.

(7) The act requires a drug treatment provider, on a quarterly basis after the defendant begins the drug treatment program, to prepare and forward a progress report on the individual probationer to the probation department, and to notify the probation department of other conditions related to the parolee's drug treatment.

This bill would instead require the reports to be provided to the court, rather than to the probation department. The bill would also require the drug treatment provider to notify the court, in addition to the probation department, of other conditions related to the parolee's drug treatment.

(8) The act prohibits drug treatment services required as a condition of probation from exceeding 12 months, but authorizes additional aftercare services as a condition of probation to be required for up to 6 months.

This bill would eliminate that authorization and would instead provide an exception to the 12-month limitation if the court makes a finding that the continuation of treatment beyond 12 months is necessary for drug treatment to be successful. In that case, the bill would authorize the court to order up to 2 6-month extensions of treatment services.

(9) The act requires and authorizes the Parole Authority to make certain parole decisions related to a parolee's drug treatment services and parole violation and revocation.

This bill would shift those requirements and authorizations from the Parole Authority to the Department of Corrections Parole Division.

(10) The bill would make its provisions operative on July 1, 2006, and would require its provisions to be applied prospectively.

Vote: ²/₃. Appropriation: yes. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- SECTION 1. Section 11999.5 of the Health and Safety Code
- 2 is amended to read:

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1 11999.5. Funding Appropriation

Upon passage of this act, \$60,000,000 shall be continuously appropriated from the General Fund to the Substance Abuse Treatment Trust Fund for the 2000-01 fiscal year. There is hereby continuously appropriated from the General Fund to the Substance Abuse Treatment Trust Fund an additional \$120,000,000 for the 2001–02 fiscal year, and an additional sum of \$120,000,000 for each subsequent fiscal year. These funds shall be transferred to the Substance Abuse Treatment Trust Fund on July 1 of each of these specified fiscal years. Funds transferred to the Substance Abuse Treatment Trust Fund are not subject to annual appropriation by the Legislature and may be used without a time limit. Nothing in this section precludes additional appropriations by the Legislature to the Substance Abuse Treatment Trust Fund.

SEC. 2. Section 11999.9 of the Health and Safety Code is amended to read:

11999.9. Annual Evaluation Process

The department shall-annually conduct-a study two three-year follow-up studies to evaluate the effectiveness and financial impact of the programs that are funded pursuant to the requirements of this act, and submit those evaluations to the Legislature not later than July 1, 2010, and July 1, 2013. The study evaluation studies shall include, but not be limited to, a study of the implementation process, a review of lower incarceration costs, reductions in crime, reduced prison and jail construction, reduced welfare costs, the adequacy of funds appropriated, and any other impacts or issues the department can identify. (a) criminal justice measures on rearrests, jail and prison days averted, crime trends, and (b) treatment measures on completion rates and quality of life indicators, such as alcohol and drug use, employment, health, mental health, and family and social supports.

In addition to the studies to evaluate the effectiveness and financial impact of the programs that are funded pursuant to the requirements of this act, the department shall produce an annual report detailing the number and characteristics of participants served as a result of this act and the related costs.

39 SEC. 3. Section 11999.10 of the Health and Safety Code is 40 amended to read:

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11999.10. Outside Evaluation Process

The department shall allocate up to 0.5 percent of the fund's total—monies moneys each year—for a long-term study to be conducted by a public university in California aimed at evaluating the effectiveness and financial impact of the programs that are funded pursuant to the requirements of this act to fund the costs of the studies required in Section 11999.9 by a public or private university or other public or private institution with similar research qualifications.

SEC. 4. Section 11999.12 of the Health and Safety Code is amended to read:

11999.12. Audit of Expenditures

The department shall—annually audit conduct periodic audits of the expenditures made by any county that is funded, in whole or in part, with funds provided by this act. Counties shall repay to the department any funds that are not spent in accordance with the requirements of this act. In making repayment, a county may use trust fund moneys previously or presently allocated to the county under this act, or the department may require a corrective action by the county in the place of repayment, as determined by the department.

SEC. 5. Section 1210 of the Penal Code is amended to read: 1210. Definitions

As used in Sections 1210.1 and 3063.1 of this code, and Division 10.8 (commencing with Section 11999.4) of the Health and Safety Code:

- (a) The term "nonviolent drug possession offense" means the unlawful personal use, possession for personal use, or transportation for personal use of any controlled substance identified in Section 11054, 11055, 11056, 11057 or 11058 of the Health and Safety Code, or the offense of being under the influence of a controlled substance in violation of Section 11550 of the Health and Safety Code. The term "nonviolent drug possession offense" does not include the possession for sale, production, or manufacturing of any controlled substance and does not include violations of Section 4573.6 or 4573.8.
- (b) The term "drug treatment program" or "drug treatment" means a state licensed and/or certified community drug treatment program, which may include one or more of the following: outpatient treatment, half-way house treatment, narcotic

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replacement therapy, drug education or prevention courses and/or limited inpatient or residential drug treatment as needed to address special detoxification or relapse situations or severe dependence (1) drug education, (2) outpatient services, (3) narcotic replacement therapy, (4) residential treatment, (5) detoxification services, and (6) aftercare services. The term "drug treatment program" or "drug treatment" includes a drug treatment program operated under the direction of the Veterans Health Administration of the Department of Veterans Affairs or a program specified in Section 8001; such a program shall be eligible to provide drug treatment services without regard to the licensing or certification provisions required by this subdivision. The term "drug treatment program" or "drug treatment" does not include drug treatment programs offered in a prison or jail facility.

- (c) The term "successful completion of treatment" means that a defendant who has had drug treatment imposed as a condition of probation has completed the prescribed course of drug treatment and, as a result, there is reasonable cause to believe that the defendant will not abuse controlled substances in the future has continued thereafter to refrain from the use of drugs during the period of probation. Completion of treatment shall not require cessation of narcotic replacement therapy.
- (d) The term "misdemeanor not related to the use of drugs" means a misdemeanor that does not involve (1) the simple possession or use of drugs or drug paraphernalia, being present where drugs are used, or failure to register as a drug offender, or (2) any activity similar to those listed in paragraph (1).
- SEC. 6. Section 1210.1 of the Penal Code is amended to read:
- 1210.1. Possession of Controlled Substances; Probation; Exceptions
- (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, and except as provided in subdivision (b), any person convicted of a nonviolent drug possession offense shall receive probation. As a condition of probation the court shall require participation in and completion of an appropriate drug treatment program. The court shall impose appropriate drug testing as a condition of probation. The court may also impose, as a condition of probation, participation in vocational training, family counseling,

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literacy training and/or community service. A court may not impose incarceration as an additional condition of probation. Aside from the limitations imposed in this subdivision, the trial court is not otherwise limited in the type of probation conditions it may impose. Probation shall be imposed by suspending the imposition of sentence. No person shall be denied the opportunity to benefit from the provisions of the act based solely upon evidence of a co-occurring psychiatric or developmental disorder.

To the greatest extent possible, any person convicted of, and receiving probation for, a nonviolent drug possession offense under this section shall be monitored by the court through the use of dedicated calendars and the incorporation of a collaborative model that includes close collaboration with treatment providers and probation officers, drug testing commensurate with treatment needs, and supervision of progress through review hearings.

In addition to any fine assessed under other provisions of law, the trial judge may require any person convicted of a nonviolent drug possession offense who is reasonably able to do so to contribute to the cost of his or her own placement in a drug treatment program.

- (b) Subdivision (a) does shall not apply to either any of the following:
- (1) Any defendant who previously has been convicted of one or more serious or violent felonies in violation of subdivision (c) of Section 667.5 or Section 1192.7, unless the nonviolent drug possession offense occurred after a period of five years in which the defendant remained free of both prison custody and the commission of an offense that results in (A) a felony conviction other than a nonviolent drug possession offense, or (B) a misdemeanor conviction involving physical injury or the threat of physical injury to another person.
- (2) Any defendant who has previously served three separate prison terms for non-drug-related felonies within the meaning of subdivision (b) of Section 667.5, unless the court finds that the defendant does not pose a risk to the community and would benefit from a drug treatment program.
- (3) Any defendant who, in addition to one or more nonviolent drug possession offenses, has been convicted in the same

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1 proceeding of a misdemeanor not related to the use of drugs or 2 any felony.

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- (4) Any defendant who:
- (A) While-using a firearm armed with a deadly weapon with the intent to use the same as a deadly weapon, unlawfully possesses any-amount of (i) a substance containing either cocaine base, cocaine, heroin, methamphetamine, or (ii) a liquid, nonliquid, plant substance, or hand-rolled eigarette, containing phencyclidine controlled substance identified in Section 11054, 11055, 11056, 11057, or 11058 of the Health and Safety Code.
- (B) While using a firearm armed with a deadly weapon with the intent to use the same as a deadly weapon, is unlawfully under the influence of cocaine base, cocaine, heroin, methamphetamine or phencyclidine a controlled substance identified in Section 11054, 11055, 11056, 11057, or 11058 of the Health and Safety Code.

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(5) Any defendant who refuses drug treatment as a condition of probation.

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- (6) Any defendant who (A) has two separate convictions for nonviolent drug possession offenses, (B) has participated in two separate courses of drug treatment pursuant to subdivision (a), and (C) is found by the court, by clear and convincing evidence, to be unamenable to any and all forms of available drug treatment, as defined in subdivision (b) of Section 1210. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the trial court shall sentence such defendants to 30 days in jail.
- (c) Within seven days of an order imposing probation under subdivision (a), the probation department shall notify the drug treatment provider designated to provide drug treatment under subdivision (a). Within 30 days of receiving that notice, the treatment provider shall prepare a treatment plan and forward it to the probation department. On a quarterly basis after the defendant begins the drug treatment program, the treatment provider shall prepare and forward a progress report on the individual probationer to the probation department. for distribution to the court and counsel. The treatment provider shall provide to the probation department standardized treatment

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progress reports with minimum data elements as determined by the department, including drug test results. At a minimum, the reports shall be provided to the court every 90 days, or more frequently, as the court directs.

- (1) If at any point during the course of drug treatment the treatment provider notifies the probation department and the court that the defendant is unamenable to the drug treatment being provided, but may be amenable to other drug treatments or related programs, the probation department may move the court to modify the terms of probation, or on its own motion, the court may modify the terms of probation after a hearing to ensure that the defendant receives the alternative drug treatment or program.
- (2) If at any point during the course of drug treatment the treatment provider notifies the probation department *and the court* that the defendant is unamenable to the drug treatment provided and all other forms of drug treatment programs pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 1210, the probation department may move to revoke probation. At the revocation hearing, if it is proved that the defendant is unamenable to all drug treatment programs pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 1210, the court may revoke probation.
- (3) Drug treatment services provided by subdivision (a) as a required condition of probation may not exceed 12 months, provided, however, that additional aftereare services as a condition of probation may be required for up to six months. unless the court makes a finding supported by the record, that the continuation of treatment services beyond 12 months is necessary for drug treatment to be successful. If such a finding is made, the court may order up to two six-month extensions of treatment services. The provision of treatment services under this act shall not exceed 24 months.
- (d) Dismissal of charges upon successful completion of drug treatment
- (1) At any time after completion of drug treatment, a defendant may petition the sentencing court for dismissal of the charges. If After completion of drug treatment and the terms of probation, the court shall conduct a hearing, and if the court finds that the defendant successfully completed drug treatment, and substantially complied with the conditions of probation, the conviction on which the probation was based shall be set aside

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and the court shall dismiss the indictment, complaint, or information against the defendant. In addition, except as provided in paragraphs (2) and (3), both the arrest and the conviction shall be deemed never to have occurred. The defendant may additionally petition the court for a dismissal of charges at any time after completion of the prescribed course of drug treatment. Except as provided in paragraph (2) or (3), the defendant shall thereafter be released from all penalties and disabilities resulting from the offense of which he or she has been convicted.

- (2) Dismissal of an indictment, complaint, or information pursuant to paragraph (1) does not permit a person to own, possess, or have in his or her custody or control any firearm capable of being concealed upon the person or prevent his or her conviction under Section 12021.
- (3) Except as provided below, after an indictment, complaint, or information is dismissed pursuant to paragraph (1), the defendant may indicate in response to any question concerning his or her prior criminal record that he or she was not arrested or convicted for the offense. Except as provided below, a record pertaining to an arrest or conviction resulting in successful completion of a drug treatment program under this section may not, without the defendant's consent, be used in any way that could result in the denial of any employment, benefit, license, or certificate.

Regardless of his or her successful completion of drug treatment, the arrest and conviction on which the probation was based may be recorded by the Department of Justice and disclosed in response to any peace officer application request or any law enforcement inquiry. Dismissal of an information, complaint, or indictment under this section does not relieve a defendant of the obligation to disclose the arrest and conviction in response to any direct question contained in any questionnaire or application for public office, for a position as a peace officer as defined in Section 830, for licensure by any state or local agency, for contracting with the California State Lottery, or for purposes of serving on a jury.

- (e) Violation of probation
- (1) If probation is revoked pursuant to the provisions of this subdivision, the defendant may be incarcerated pursuant to

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otherwise applicable law without regard to the provisions of this section.

(2) Non-drug-related probation violations

If a defendant receives probation under subdivision (a), and violates that probation either by being arrested for an offense that is not a nonviolent drug possession offense, or by violating a non-drug-related condition of probation, and the state moves to revoke probation, the court shall conduct a hearing to determine whether probation shall be revoked. The court may modify or revoke probation if the alleged violation is proved.

(3) Drug-related probation violations

- (A) If a defendant receives probation under subdivision (a), and violates that probation either by committing a nonviolent drug possession offense, or a misdemeanor for simple possession or use of drugs or drug paraphernalia, being present where drugs are used, or failure to register as a drug offender, or any activity similar to those listed in paragraph (1) of subdivision (d) of Section 1210, or by violating a drug-related condition of probation, and the state moves to revoke probation, the court shall conduct a hearing to determine whether probation shall be revoked. The trial court shall revoke probation if the alleged probation violation is proved and the state proves by a preponderance of the evidence that the defendant poses a danger to the safety of others. If the court does not revoke probation, it may intensify or alter the drug treatment plan.
- (B) If a defendant receives probation under subdivision (a), and for the second time violates that probation either by committing a nonviolent drug possession offense, or a misdemeanor for simple possession or use of drugs or drug paraphernalia, being present where drugs are used, or failure to register as a drug offender, or any activity similar to those listed in paragraph (1) of subdivision (d) of Section 1210, or by violating a drug-related condition of probation, and the state moves for a second time to revoke probation, the court shall conduct a hearing to determine whether probation shall be revoked. The trial court shall revoke probation if the alleged probation violation is proved and the state proves by a preponderance of the evidence either that the defendant poses a danger to the safety of others or is unamenable to drug treatment. In determining whether a defendant is unamenable to drug

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treatment, the court may consider, to the extent relevant, whether
the defendant (i) has committed a serious violation of rules at the
drug treatment program, (ii) has repeatedly committed violations
of program rules that inhibit the defendant's ability to function in
the program, or (iii) has continually refused to participate in the
program or asked to be removed from the program. If the court
does not revoke probation, it may intensify or alter the drug
treatment plan.

- (C) If a defendant receives probation under subdivision (a), and for the third time violates that probation either by committing a nonviolent drug possession offense, or by violating a drug-related condition of probation, and the state moves for a third time to revoke probation, the court shall conduct a hearing to determine whether probation shall be revoked. If the alleged probation violation is proved, the defendant is not eligible for continued probation under subdivision (a).
- (D) If a defendant on probation at the effective date of this act for a nonviolent drug possession offense violates that probation either by being arrested for a nonviolent drug possession offense, or a misdemeanor for simple possession or use of drugs or drug paraphernalia, being present where drugs are used, or failure to register as a drug offender, or any activity similar to those listed in paragraph (1) of subdivision (d) of Section 1210, or by violating a drug-related condition of probation, and the state moves to revoke probation, the court shall conduct a hearing to determine whether probation shall be revoked. The trial court shall revoke probation if the alleged probation violation is proved and the state proves by a preponderance of the evidence that the defendant poses a danger to the safety of others. If the court does not revoke probation, it may modify probation and impose as an additional condition participation in a drug treatment program.
- (E) If a defendant on probation at the effective date of this act for a nonviolent drug possession offense violates that probation a second time either by being arrested for a nonviolent drug possession offense, or a misdemeanor for simple possession or use of drugs or drug paraphernalia, being present where drugs are used, or failure to register as a drug offender, or any activity similar to those listed in paragraph (1) of subdivision (d) of Section 1210, or by violating a drug-related condition of probation, and the state moves for a second time to revoke

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probation, the court shall conduct a hearing to determine whether probation shall be revoked. The trial court shall revoke probation if the alleged probation violation is proved and the state proves by a preponderance of the evidence either that the defendant poses a danger to the safety of others or that the defendant is unamenable to drug treatment. If the court does not revoke probation, it may modify probation and impose as an additional condition participation in a drug treatment program.

- (F) If a defendant on probation at the effective date of this act for a nonviolent drug offense violates that probation a third time either by being arrested for a nonviolent drug possession offense, or by violating a drug-related condition of probation, and the state moves for a third time to revoke probation, the court shall conduct a hearing to determine whether probation shall be revoked. If the alleged probation violation is proved, the defendant is not eligible for continued probation under subdivision (a).
- (f) The term "drug-related condition of probation" shall include a probationer's specific drug treatment regimen, employment, vocational training, educational programs, psychological counseling, and family counseling.
- SEC. 7. Section 3063.1 of the Penal Code is amended to read:
- 3063.1. Possession of Controlled Substances; Parole; Exceptions
- (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, and except as provided in subdivision (d), parole may not be suspended or revoked for commission of a nonviolent drug possession offense or for violating any drug-related condition of parole.

As an additional condition of parole for all such offenses or violations, the Parole Authority shall require participation in and completion of an appropriate drug treatment program. Vocational training, family counseling and literacy training may be imposed as additional parole conditions.

The Parole Authority may require any person on parole who commits a nonviolent drug possession offense or violates any drug-related condition of parole, and who is reasonably able to do so, to contribute to the cost of his or her own placement in a drug treatment program.

(b) Subdivision (a) does not apply to:

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(1) Any parolee who has been convicted of one or more serious or violent felonies in violation of subdivision (c) of Section 667.5 or Section 1192.7.

- (2) Any parolee who, while on parole, commits one or more nonviolent drug possession offenses and is found to have concurrently committed a misdemeanor not related to the use of drugs or any felony.
- (3) Any parolee who refuses drug treatment as a condition of parole.
- (c) Within seven days of a finding that the parolee has either committed a nonviolent drug possession offense or violated any drug-related condition of parole, the Parole Authority Department of Corrections Parole Division shall notify the treatment provider designated to provide drug treatment under subdivision (a). Within 30 days thereafter the treatment provider shall prepare an individualized drug treatment plan and forward it to the Parole Authority and to the California Department of Corrections Parole Division agent responsible for supervising the parolee. On a quarterly basis after the parolee begins drug treatment, the treatment provider shall prepare and forward a progress report on the individual parolee to these entities and individuals.
- (1) If at any point during the course of drug treatment the treatment provider notifies the Parole Authority Department of Corrections Parole Division that the parole is unamenable to the drug treatment provided, but amenable to other drug treatments or related programs, the Parole Authority Department of Corrections Parole Division may act to modify the terms of parole to ensure that the parolee receives the alternative drug treatment or program.
- (2) If at any point during the course of drug treatment the treatment provider notifies the Parole Authority Department of Corrections Parole Division that the parolee is unamenable to the drug treatment provided and all other forms of drug treatment provided pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 1210 and the amenability factors described in subparagraph (B) of paragraph (3) of subdivision (e) of Section 1210.1, the Parole Authority Department of Corrections Parole Division may act to revoke parole. At the revocation hearing, parole may be revoked if it is proved that the parolee is unamenable to all drug treatment.

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- (3) Drug treatment services provided by subdivision (a) as a required condition of parole may not exceed 12 months, provided, however, that additional aftereare services as a condition of parole may be required for up to six months unless the Department of Corrections Parole Division makes a finding supported by the record that the continuation of treatment services beyond 12 months is necessary for drug treatment to be successful. If that finding is made, the Department of Corrections Parole Division may order up to two six-month extensions of treatment services. The provision of treatment services under this act shall not exceed 24 months.
 - (d) Violation of parole.

- (1) If parole is revoked pursuant to the provisions of this subdivision, the defendant may be incarcerated pursuant to otherwise applicable law without regard to the provisions of this section. Parole shall be revoked if the parole violation is proved and a preponderance of the evidence establishes that the parolee poses a danger to the safety of others.
 - (2) Non-drug-related parole violations

If a parolee receives drug treatment under subdivision (a), and during the course of drug treatment violates parole either by committing an offense other than a nonviolent drug possession offense, or by violating a non-drug-related condition of parole, and the Parole Authority Department of Corrections Parole Division acts to revoke parole, a hearing shall be conducted to determine whether parole shall be revoked.

Parole may be modified or revoked if the parole violation is proved.

- (3) Drug-related parole violations
- (A) If a parolee receives drug treatment under subdivision (a), and during the course of drug treatment violates parole either by committing a nonviolent drug possession offense, or a misdemeanor for simple possession or use of drugs or drug paraphernalia, being present where drugs are used, or failure to register as a drug offender, or any activity similar to those listed in paragraph (1) of subdivision (d) of Section 1210, or by violating a drug-related condition of parole, and the Parole Authority Department of Corrections Parole Division acts to revoke parole, a hearing shall be conducted to determine whether parole shall be revoked. Parole shall be revoked if the parole

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violation is proved and a preponderance of the evidence establishes that the parolee poses a danger to the safety of others. If parole is not revoked, the conditions of parole may be intensified to achieve the goals of drug treatment.

- (B) If a parolee receives drug treatment under subdivision (a), and during the course of drug treatment for the second time violates that parole either by committing a nonviolent drug possession offense, or by violating a drug-related condition of parole, and the Parole Authority Department of Corrections Parole Division acts for a second time to revoke parole, a hearing shall be conducted to determine whether parole shall be revoked. If the alleged parole violation is proved, the parolee is not eligible for continued parole under any provision of this section and may be reincarcerated.
- (C) If a parolee already on parole at the effective date of this act violates that parole either by committing a nonviolent drug possession offense, or a misdemeanor for simple possession or use of drugs or drug paraphernalia, being present where drugs are used, or failure to register as a drug offender, or any activity similar to those listed in paragraph (1) of subdivision (d) of Section 1210, or by violating a drug-related condition of parole, and the Parole Authority Department of Corrections Parole Division acts to revoke parole, a hearing shall be conducted to determine whether parole shall be revoked. Parole shall be revoked if the parole violation is proved and a preponderance of the evidence establishes that the parolee poses a danger to the safety of others. If parole is not revoked, the conditions of parole may be modified to include participation in a drug treatment program as provided in subdivision (a). This paragraph does not apply to any parolee who at the effective date of this act has been convicted of one or more serious or violent felonies in violation of subdivision (c) of Section 667.5 or Section 1192.7.
- (D) If a parolee already on parole at the effective date of this act violates that parole for the second time either by committing a nonviolent drug possession offense, or by violating a drug-related condition of parole, and the Parole Authority Department of Corrections Parole Division acts for a second time to revoke parole, a hearing shall be conducted to determine whether parole shall be revoked. If the alleged parole violation is

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proved, the parolee is not eligible for continued parole under any provision of this section and may be reincarcerated.

(e) The term "drug-related condition of parole" shall include a parolee's specific drug treatment regimen, and, if ordered by the parole authority Department of Corrections Parole Division pursuant to this section, employment, vocational training, educational programs, psychological counseling, and family counseling.

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- SEC. 8. The provisions of this act shall become operative on July 1, 2006, and its provisions shall be applied prospectively.
- SEC. 9. The provisions of this act are severable. If any provision of this act or its application is held invalid, that invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application.
- 15 SEC. 10. The Legislature finds and declares that the 16 provisions of this act are consistent with the purposes of the 17 Substance Abuse and Crime Prevention Act of 2006.